

Selected Resources on International Education

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Statement on International Education Week 2011

by U.S. Secretary of Education Arne Duncan

November 14-18, 2011

Message of Support

I am pleased to announce the 12th annual International Education Week starting on November 14. This year's theme is International Education: Inspiring Students Locally to Succeed Globally.

International Education Week is a joint initiative of the U.S. Departments of Education and State. It celebrates the benefits of understanding the world around us so we can better communicate and collaborate with others from different cultures. It is an ideal opportunity to inspire students to broaden their horizons through global learning, foreign languages and international exchange.

President Obama and I are passionate about providing all of our children with an education that will enable them to succeed in a globally competitive economy where knowledge and innovation are more important than ever. And, with the world's economies and societies becoming more and more interdependent, it is almost impossible to distinguish between domestic and international issues.

Therefore, we must work together to give all of our students an outstanding education, which includes learning about our global partners – their cultures, histories, languages, values, and viewpoints. We must focus on integrating international perspectives into our classrooms. It is through education and exchange that we become better collaborators, competitors and compassionate neighbors in this global society.

There is no longer any doubt that local actions have international effects and consequences. International Education Week 2011 is a time to celebrate our connection with the world around us. I hope that you will join me this November in highlighting the importance of international education and exchange.

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"Education, therefore, is a process of living and not a preparation for future living." — John Dewey



Books available on Loan from the American Library, Chennai

[Affirmative action for the future](#) /Sterba, James P.
Ithaca, N. Y. : Cornell University Press, c2009.
Chennai /Delhi/Kolkata/Mumbai
342.73085 STE

[Developing learner-centered teaching : a practical guide for faculty](#) /Blumberg, Phyllis,
San Francisco : Jossey-Bass, c2009.
Chennai/Delhi/Kolkata/Mumbai
378.125 BLU

[.edu : technology and learning environments in higher education](#) /Wilen-Daugenti, Tracey.
New York : Peter Lang, c2009.
Chennai /Delhi/Kolkata/Mumbai
378.1734 WIL

[Fixing college education : a new curriculum for the twenty-first century](#) /Muscatine, Charles.
Charlottesville : University of Virginia Press, 2009.
Chennai /Delhi
378.199 MUS

[The flat world and education : how America's commitment to equity will determine our future](#) /Darling-Hammond, L.
New York : Teachers College Press, c2010.
Chennai /Delhi
379.26 DAR

[How Lincoln learned to read : twelve great Americans and the educations that made them](#) /Wolff, D. J.
New York : Bloomsbury, 2009.
Chennai
370.973 WOL

[Research in education : evidence-based inquiry](#) /McMillan, James H.
Boston : Pearson, c2010.
Chennai /Delhi
370.72 MCM

[Rethinking education in the age of technology : the digital revolution and schooling in America /](#)
Collins, Allan
New York : Teachers College Press, c2009.
Chennai/Delhi
370.28 COL

[Tools for teaching](#) /Davis, Barbara Gross.
San Francisco, CA : Jossey-Bass, c2009.
Chennai/Kolkata Reference
REF 378.125 DAV

[Beyond admissions : re-thinking college opportunities and outcomes](#) /American Academy of Political and Social Science.
Thousand Oaks, CA : SAGE Publications, c2010.
378 AME
Mumbai

[Debating moral education : rethinking the role of the modern university /](#)
Durham : Duke University Press, 2010.
Delhi
370.114 DEB

[Educational leadership and planning for technology](#) /Picciano, Anthony G.
Upper Saddle River, N.J. : Pearson, c2011.
Delhi
370.285 PIC

[Improving struggling schools : a developmental approach to intervention](#) /Stephens, D. Brent.
Cambridge, Mass. : Harvard Education Press, 2010.
Delhi
371.2 STE

[New science of learning : cognition, computers and collaboration in education /](#)
New York : Springer, c2010.
Delhi
371.334 NEW

[The psychology of education](#)
London ; New York : Routledge, 2011.
Delhi
370.15 PSY

[Teaching at its best : a research-based resource for college instructors](#) /Nilson, Linda Burzotta.
San Francisco, CA : Jossey-Bass, c2010.
Delhi Reference
REF 378.102 NIL



Global IQ Quiz

GET READY TO TEST YOUR KNOWLEDGE OF THE WORLD!

The Department of State and the Department of Education are pleased to partner with the [National Geographic Society](#), which has provided questions from previous National Geographic Bee competitions for this year's Global IQ Quiz.

The Global IQ Quiz will change periodically, and follow general subject areas (continents, geography, etc.)

1. [Take the Continent IQ Quiz](#)
2. [Take the Cultural Geography IQ Quiz](#)
3. [Take the Physical & Cultural Geography IQ Quiz](#)

Electronic Documents

2011 Horizon Report:

The annual Horizon Report is a collaborative effort between the EDUCAUSE Learning Initiative (ELI) and the New Media Consortium (NMC). Each year, the report identifies and describes six areas of emerging technology likely to have a significant impact on teaching, learning, or creative expression in higher education within three adoption horizons: a year or less, two to three years, and four to five years.

Comprehensive Internationalization: From Concept to Action by John K. Hudzik. Association of International Educators, 2011

Document presents a thorough introduction to the emerging imperative of a broader scope and scale of internationalization. Beyond "campus internationalization," comprehensive internationalization can be the organizing paradigm for institutions as a whole, academic departments, or professional programs.

Joint and Double Degree Programs in the Global Context produced by the Institute of International Education (IIE) and the Freie Universität Berlin.

Joint and Double Degree Programs in the Global Context, a new report is based on a survey conducted in spring 2011, assesses the current landscape of joint and double degree programs and identifies the challenges, opportunities, motivations, and impact of developing such programs. The study presents findings from a global perspective, as well as country-specific trends for the six countries with the highest number of institutions responding to the survey: Australia, France, Germany, Italy, the UK, and the U.S.

An Overview of U.S. Accreditation by Judith S. Eaton. The Council for Higher Education Accreditation, 2011

The Road Ahead: A Look at Trends in the Educational Attainment of Community College Students by Christopher M. Mullin. American Association of Community Colleges, October 2011

This brief presents data on educational attainment at community colleges, with an eye to what the data portend. One extremely positive conclusion can be reached: Educational attainment for all key populations is increasing at community colleges. The investments made in a community college education, by individuals and by society as a whole, are paying off.



Useful Links:

[APEC/U.S. Department of Education Online Teacher Professional Development](#) - online opportunity encouraging teachers across the Asia-Pacific region to exchange teaching tips.

[Association of International Educators](#)

[Benjamin A. Gilman International Scholarship Program](#) — a study abroad scholarship program for American undergraduate students.

[Campus Connections](#) – a publication about international student exchanges.

[Careers with the U.S. Department of State](#)

[Classroom Resources on Countries Around the World](#)

[CultureQuest](#)

[Doors to Diplomacy](#)

[Engaging the World: US Global Competence for the 21st Century](#)

[Friendship Through Education](#)

[Higher Education: USA.gov](#)

[Institute of International Education](#)

[International Schools CyberFair](#)

[Leading the Way for Global Higher Education](#)

[Open Doors](#)

[Overview of US Education System](#)

[Study in the States](#)

[U.S. International Education Consortia](#)

[U.S. Network for Education Information](#)

[U.S. Department of State Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs](#)

[U.S. Department of State Website for Youth](#)



Watch Secretary Clinton talking at the
U.S.-India Higher Education Summit on
October 13, 2011

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